



## **SOWELA TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

### **Financial Aid Office**

Sowela Technical Community College supports students with the desire and the dedication to learn. This includes non-traditional students and those facing financial barriers to higher education. We encourage all students to complete and submit a scholarship application.

#### **Selection**

Scholarships are subject to available funding. Applications are evaluated on the criteria for each scholarship. Such criteria may include academic achievement, letter of recommendation, honors and leadership activities, personal statement, financial need, residency, area of study and degree plan. Please keep in mind that at times the number of applications received could greatly exceed the number of available scholarships.

- Priority receipt date is March 1, 2009 for scholarship applications to be completed and submitted to the Financial Aid Office. Once all funds have been awarded, late applications will be considered only for vacancies that may occur during the academic year.
- All new Sowela students must have applied for admissions by the priority receipt date of March 1, 2009 to be considered for scholarships.
- Provide all applicable information (an incomplete form may not be considered)
- Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) must be completed (for some scholarships) and filed at the Financial Aid Office. Students selected for verification with the FAFSA must complete this process before any aid will be awarded.
- Scholarships require maintaining a required GPA with a certain enrollment status (ex. Full time/part time) each semester. Please make sure you understand the specific GPA requirements if you have been awarded a scholarship.



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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION  
2009-2010 ACADEMIC YEAR**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last four digits of Social Security # \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ H. S. Graduation Date or GED Date \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_

List any awards, honors, prizes, scholarships, etc. that you have received:

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Program of Study at Sowela \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_

Have you applied for Financial Aid by completing the FAFSA for the 2009-2010 academic year?

Yes  No

Several of the available scholarships offer special consideration for applicants with financial need. The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) MUST be completed for these scholarships.

College(s) Attended \_\_\_\_\_ Dates Enrolled \_\_\_\_\_

List any extracurricular activities, club memberships, and leadership positions including high school, college, volunteer, and community:

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Please list any extenuating circumstances that might affect you and/or your family's ability to help pay for school:

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